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FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, BEXP, XF

SUBJECT: ARAB BOYCOTT: KUWAIT BANK LETTER OF CREDIT

REF: A) KUWAIT 3989; B) STATE 156562

1. CHANGE FROM NEGATIVE TO POSITIVE CERTIFICATION BY
LOCAL KUWAIT BANK REPORTED PARA 1 REF A IS FAVORABLE
DEVELOPMENT. CABLED TEXT OF PROPOSED LETTER OF CREDIT
CONDITIONS RELATED TO SOURCE, SHIPPING, INSURANCE WOULD
BE HELPFUL IN TERMS OF PROVIDING MORE CATEGORICAL RESPONSE.

2. IT IS PROBABLE THAT UNDER THE IMPLEMENTING EXPORT
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ADMINISTRATION ACT (EAA) REGULATIONS, THE DISSEMINATION
BY KUWAIT BANK OF INFORMATION IN FORM OF LETTER OF CREDIT
INSTRUCTION RE GOVT. OF KUWAIT POLICY OF PROHIBITING IMPORTS
FROM ISRAEL, SOUTH AFRICA AND RHODESIA WOULD NOT PREVENT
U.S. BANK OR U.S. SUPPLIER FROM PROCEEDING -- PROVIDED OF
COURSE THAT U.S. SUPPLIER MAKES NO BOYCOTT-TYPE CERTIFICA-
TION. HOWEVER, IT WOULD BE PREFERABLE FOR SUCH LANGUAGE

TO BE REMOVED.

3. IT IS CONTEMPLATED THAT THE EAA REGULATIONS WILL NOT REQUIRE THE REPORTING OF SUCH BROAD STATEMENTS OF POLICY WHEN CONTAINED IN PUBLICATIONS UNRELATED TO SPECIFIC TRANSACTIONS (E.G. EXPORTERS HANDBOOKS, SHIPPING GUIDES).

HOWEVER, THE INCLUSION OF SUCH STATEMENTS IN DOCUMENTS RELATING TO SPECIFIC TRANSACTIONS (E.G. CONTRACTS, L/C'S, IFB'S, SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS) WOULD BE REPORTABLE.
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